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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

Case No. 1:25-cr-00065-JLT

STIPULATION TO MODIFY BRIEFING SCHEDULE; ORDER

18 The parties, through their respective counsel, Assistant United States Attorneys Chan Hee
19 Chu and Cody Chappel, counsel for the United States of America, and Assistant Federal Defenders
20 Kara R. Ottervanger and Lisa Ndembu Lumeya, counsel for Charles Edward Gearheart, Jr., hereby
21 jointly move the Court to modify the briefing schedule in this matter.

22 On April 1, 2025, a briefing schedule was filed pursuant to Local Rule 422. [ECF # 79].
23 The schedule currently requires the initial brief be filed within twenty-one days after receipt of the
24 requested transcripts, the response brief twenty-one days after the initial brief, and the reply brief
25 seven days after the response brief. After conferring, the parties believe that, based on the parties'
26 respective obligations in other cases, as well as pre-existing out-of-office travel, the current
27 briefing schedule does not allow sufficient time for the parties to fully brief the issues in this case.
28 Accordingly, the parties request the following deadlines:

1 Appellant's initial brief: July 9, 2025.

2 Appellee's response brief: September 3, 2025.

3 Appellant's response brief: October 1, 2025.

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5 Respectfully submitted,

6 HEATHER E. WILLIAMS
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8 Date: April 21, 2025

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10 */s/ Kara R. Ottervanger*
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17 Date: April 15, 2025

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23 **O R D E R**

24 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the briefing schedule in this matter is amended as
25 follows: Appellant's initial brief shall be served and filed by July 9, 2025. Appellee's response
26 brief shall be filed by September 3, 2025. Appellant's response brief shall be filed by October 1,
27 2025.

28 IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: April 21, 2025


UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE